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January 28, 2020

Keith Knoblock AZ Antiquities Administrator/Archaeology Arizona State Museum, University of Arizona PO Box 210026 Tucson, AZ 85721-0026

Re: 2019 Annual Summary and Review under the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) for compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act – Florence Copper Production Test Facility (PTF), Florence, Arizona

Dear Mr. Knoblock:

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Sincerely,

David Albrig**h**i

Manager, Groundwater Protection Section

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John Eddins Advisory Council on Historic Preservation 401 F Street NW, Suite 308 Washington, DC 20001-2637

Re: 2019 Annual Summary and Review under the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA)

for compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act -

Florence Copper Production Test Facility (PTF), Florence, Arizona

Dear Mr. Eddins:

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Dr. John Welch Archaeology Southwest 300 North Ash Alley Tucson, AZ 85701

Re: 2019 Annual Summary and Review under the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA)

for compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act -

Florence Copper Production Test Facility (PTF), Florence, Arizona

Dear Dr. Welch:

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Barnaby Lewis Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Gila River Indian Community P.O. Box 2140 Sacaton, AZ 85147

Re: 2019 Annual Summary and Review under the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA)

for compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act –

Florence Copper Production Test Facility (PTF), Florence, Arizona

Dear Mr. Lewis:

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David Afbright

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Stewart Koyiyumptewa, Director Hopi Cultural Preservation Office The Hopi Tribe P.O. Box 123 Kykotsmovi, AZ 86039

Re: 2019 Annual Summary and Review under the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) for compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act – Florence Copper Production Test Facility (PTF), Florence, Arizona

Dear Mr. Koyiyumptewa:

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Ben Littlefield, Superintendent Casa Grande Ruins National Monument National Parks Service 1100 W. Ruins Drive Coolidge, AZ 85128

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Dear Mr. Littlefield:

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Kathryn Leonard State Historic Preservation Officer Arizona State Parks State Historic Preservation Office 1300 W. Washington Street Phoenix, AZ 85007

Re: 2019 Annual Summary and Review under the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) for compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act -Florence Copper Production Test Facility (PTF), Florence, Arizona

Dear Ms. Leonard:

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Peter L. Steere, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Tohono O'odham Nation Cultural Affairs Office P.O. Box 837 Sells, Arizona 85634

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Brent Billingsley Town Manager Town of Florence P.O. Box 2670 Florence, AZ 85132

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Dear Mr. Billingsley:

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Greg Glassco, Director Cultural Resource Program Yavapai-Prescott Indian Tribe 530 East Merritt Street Prescott, AZ 86301

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Dr. Michael O'Hara Cultural Resources Section Manager Arizona State Land Department 1616 West Adams Street Phoenix, AZ 85007

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Dear Dr. O'Hara:

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